### MISS HARRIET SMITH WRITES VIVIDLY OF WESTERN CHINA

Bichmond Woman Enters Interior of Oriental Country for Y. W. C. A. Work.

Vivid pictures of scenes, people d customs encountered by Miss Vestern China, where she went last pring to organize Young Women's Christian Association work, are given in a letter received from her at association headquarters in Rich-

Szechwan Province, China, in lune, and has just arrived in Richnond, addressed to the South Atantic field committee.

## The New "Tray-Boy" Studio Will Be An Innovation For Richmond

Tray-Boy studio will take place on Thursday, September 30, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. On Friday Cetober 1, former pupils and chose continuing their studies will be registered, while Saturday, the 2nd, will be given over to the registration of new pupils. The classes will begin on the following Monday, after which per registrations will be made. on the following Monday, after which no registrations will be made.

The growth of this school has been remarkable in many respects. Miss Traylor began her classes in dancing five years ago, and confinued through one whole year with an enrollment of seven pupils, though the original seven have stuck by the school year after year, and last year found an enrollment of more than three hundred. Misses Traylor and Boyer expect an enrollment this year of more than five hundred pupils.

Memory is still fresh with the success of "Toyland" and "Polly Primity on by the pupils of this school under the direction of Misses Traylor and Boyer. A new play will be produced next spring the title of which is "The Goose Girl." These productions each spring have come to be looked forward than a

productions each spring have come to be looked forward to by the theater-lovers in Richmond with the keenest anticipation. How the Studio Got Its Name, The studio was named by

for of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Coke, e. I. West Franklin Street. Little Mis Betsy took the "Tray" from the nam of Miss Traylor and the "Boy" from Miss Braylor and the "Roy" at Miss Boyers and coined the na "Tray-Boy." The mame is unliand clever and identifies the so with the names of the principals. The interior of the studio will beautifully decorated by Miller Bheads and in keeping with the name and spirit of the dances tau. one and spirit of the dances taugh t large velvet rug will be used fo he lovely soft nature poses and dane ng, while a rug specially made fo the purpose will be used for the to

The "Tray-Boy" will offer the most The "Tray-Boy" will offer the most attractive of Friday and Saturday tight junior cotilion clabs. These dubs will be chaperoned and an orabestra has been engaged to play or the dances. Through the fall and vinter season there will be other aotable events to attract, chief among which will be the Hallow'een party, he Thanksgiving German, the Thristmas party and a party in honor if Washington's birthday, which will be a full-dress Colonial ball. The catures of this crowning party will be the stately and beautiful old Minbet" and "Lancers," Town the loss of the season there—be in Easter dance.

Both Misses Trayler and Boyer are

M. Easter dance.

Both Misses Traylor and Boyer are
traduates from the famous Vestoff-ferova Russian School in New York,
he season of 1919, taking the post-traduate course in 1920 and a special Richmond will not be slow to ap-recista the offeris of these two sures women ito provide the city in a dancing school equal in any with of New York—Adv.



they are a very different feeling, perhaps a deadly, active menace—those roarling, tearing beasts of nature, so ready to destroy little, weary, helptess humanity. We saw a bird sitting on something in the water, which turned out to be a drowned pig, which the bird was eating, and later another object floated down to us that we were some time making out. As it tossed past, the wash of the ship three up past, the wash of the ship three up post; the wash of the ship three up this is not the rapids.

"We rose and dressed as soon as the boat started thoats never attempt hight runs on this part of the river), before daylight was very dicar, and watched while the light hightened over the gray river and shadowy mounfains. We soon began to come to rougher places in the water, such as it is called, began at some at sex. These rapids, it my said, were less exciting than the rew had expected, because of a considerable rise in the water while were at lehang, but the real climax of the day came shortly after 7 o'clock, when preparations for the Wild Rapid, as it is called, began, At midlevel of the water, such as we were meeting, no steamer ever got past this "on its engines" but middly ready to take soundings with; the most expert erew stood ready to take soundings with; the most expert erew stood ready to take soundings with; the most expert erew stood ready to take soundings with; the most expert erew stood ready to take soundings with; the most expert erew stood ready to take soundings with; the most expert erew stood ready to take soundings with; the most expert erew stood ready to the early sounding at the winds.

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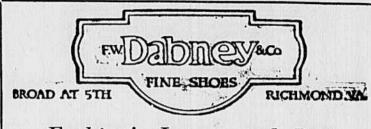
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